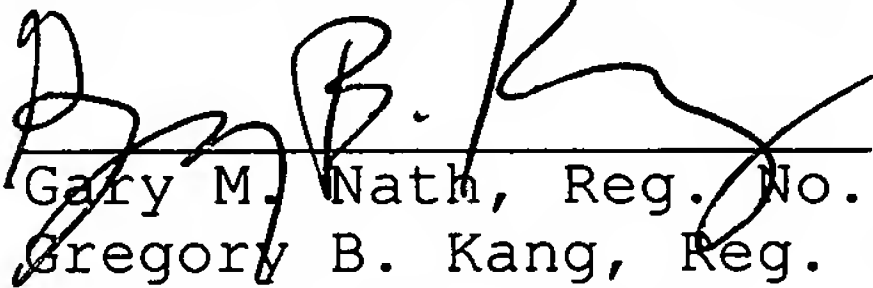


REMARKS

The amendments to the claims have been made to remove multiple dependencies and to conform them to U.S. practice. Claims 1-15 will be pending in the application.

No new matter has been added.

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